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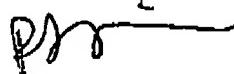
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A telephonic interview with the Examiner was conducted on November 29, 2004 and November 30, 2004. On November 29, 2004, the rejection of the pending claims was discussed, and the Applicants requested the Examiner to reconsider the rejected claims in view of the previously filed Responses. No prior art was discussed. In the November 30, 2004 interview, the Examiner called the Applicants and indicated that the above-captioned case would be reopened for prosecution, thus obviating a need to file a Notice of Appeal within the proscribed statutory period.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the Houston, Texas telephone number (713) 934-4064.

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